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Phonon density of states in superconducting oxide spinel $(Li,Mg)_{1+x}Ti_{2-x}O_4$

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The phonon density of states of the spinel phases $\text{Li}_{1+x}\text{Ti}_{2-x}\text{O}_4$ (x=0.33) and $\text{Li}_{1-y}\text{Mg}_y\text{Ti}_2\text{O}_4$ (y=0.1,0.3) (space group Fd3m) have been calculated by applying Blackman sampling method. The calculated results are compared with experimental data. The effect of Mg^{2+} substitution for Li^+ in $\text{Li}\text{Ti}_2\text{O}_4$ on phonon density of states are also studied and discussed.